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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: H. TANEI, et al.
Application No.: 09/941,988
Filed: August 30, 2001
For: ELECTRONIC COMPONENT AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME
Group: 1775
Examiner: G. Blackwell Rudasil

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 5, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 4, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as listed in the following, and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.